

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

The Kinsu left this morning.

The Post Office was not opened yesterday.

The Wild Swan will probably arrive to-morrow.

The Wall, Nichols Company, will open on Monday.

The band will play at Thomas Square this evening.

The Asloun arrived on Wednesday afternoon from Portland.

A Japanese theater is being built on the corner of Merchant and Richards streets.

What the ladies like for a Xmas present! A dozen pairs Black Lisle Hose from Kerr's.

W. H. Rickard and T. B. Walker are around and very much pleased over their pardon.

Chief Engineer Barton of the U. S. S. Bennington, has returned from a vacation to Waialua.

The Healan dance on Wednesday, was very well attended. The dancing force turned out in full.

Colonel W. H. Cornwell and Palmer Woods were among the passengers on the Kinsu to-day.

The Lei Hima Club had a most enjoyable dance at the Independence Hall on Wednesday evening.

The amounts of turkeys consumed yesterday, speaks well for the digestive qualifications of the Honolulu people.

There is quite a rush of ladies to buy those beautiful Parisian dress goods at L. B. Kerr's. They are quite too, too.

Albert Lucas, plead guilty to a charge of embezzling public money in the Circuit Court, and will be sentenced to-morrow.

A nice new cottage which has not yet been occupied is for rent on Liliha street, large garden with stable and coach house. See adv.

The Y. H. I. will give a concert to-morrow evening. The receipts of the entertainment will be used for the establishment of a library.

A native pulled a young fellow off his horse yesterday, claiming that he was run into. The matter was settled amicably at the station and no arrests were made.

The sales of plants at Luca's auction room was very well attended this morning. Mr. Luca disposed of some of the handsomest plants ever offered to the public here.

U. S. Consul-General Ellis Mills arrived on the Coptic with his wife. Mr. Mills, who is perfectly restored to health, was most sincerely welcomed by his hosts of friends.

Editor Hayne of the Hawaiian, fed editor Stacker and fourteen other boys at a dinner yesterday. We now expect the two publications to do the "pretty" to each other.

The Circuit Court of Maui, will open its session next week. Judges Judd and Frear will accidentally be at Lahaia and probably look into the Kalua-Helekunihi troubles.

The Hawaiian Historical Society will meet to-night at the Y. M. C. A. hall. The third annual report of the society has been received, and will have our due attention in a coming issue.

A famous bicyclist challenged Sylvester last Wednesday, and wagered that he could ride five miles in thirteen minutes. The brave challenger didn't do it and Sylvester is in a dollar.

The Gleaners' Society held a meeting on Wednesday and donated a Christmas gift to a Chinese girl in the Kawaiahao Seminary. What's the matter with the Hawaiian girls in need of Christmas presents?

Col. C. P. Iaukea, formerly of the staff of King Kalakaua and Queen Liliuokalani, is now sporting the gilded uniform of President Dole. The colonel, however, has been reduced to a major. *Sic transit gloria mundi.*

The "Star" dinner to the news-boys yesterday, was a great success. The boys were well-fed and looked nearly as satisfied as their editor did in his bran new uniform on a very much hired horse as a full-fledged adjutant.

The California Feed Company have received a large invoice of goods by the S. G. Wilder. They quote the lowest prices, and the finest qualities in all the lines, and give full weight. Amongst the lot are to be found, hay, oats, rolled barley, bran, corn, cracked corn, oil-cake, etc. Everything is of the freshest, and if you want to get the best and cheapest the California Feed Co. will hear from you.

A Grand Display.

The taxpayers of the islands got a chance to know where their money is going to, when they yesterday saw the streets filled with soldiers, rifles, cannons and other warlike accoutrements.

Thanksgiving Day is a peculiar American day, and a feature of it is that there is never a military or civic parade in any town, city, or village where the message of the President of the United States reaches.

Thanksgiving Day is kept as a religious festival and was originally intended for domestic worship, a day to be observed in a most quiet and solemn manner.

Not so here. Our expensive army had to be turned out. Our expensive Colonel had to be paraded, and as a matter of course, the whole outfit had to be photographed.

The army of Hawaii makes a rather creditable showing. We are forced to say though, that the police can boast of the most martial bearing. Captain Parker's men can march like soldiers, and Captain Cook's men present as good an appearance as does any body of mounted men in other countries.

Captain Zeigler knows how to handle his company and he has under his command some "birds" who evidently at one time wore a different uniform and who understand the rudiments of military drill.

But the rest of the parade! God forbid that we should criticize such an expensive toy which daily makes our friend Damop more and more grey-haired. The appearance of the staff would have made any circus a howling success. Colonel McLean on horseback and our brother on the Star on a hired stud were enough to make a saint snicker. To see the Austrian field pieces dragged through town behind two half-clad horses and with two infantry men on the caisson made us weep tears of joy.

Even the martial bearing of Henry Kaia and the ability of the "cavalry" to count "twenty-two"—the dose had to be repeated—could not console us in regard to the artillery.

We have only one thing to be thankful over, and that is that Jim Williams got a photograph of the parade. It was grand. It was glorious. But we have seen "Antiques and Horribles" which by far surpassed the greatest military parade ever seen in Honolulu.

Play Ball.

The football game yesterday was about the slowest affair on record in Honolulu. Captain Long's team won simply because there wasn't energy enough in the other crowd to defeat them. Tom Cummins took occasion to lie down and faint and had to be carried away. (He attended the dinner all the same.) Cupid goes round with an eye in mourning and the rest of the boys look tired.

The ball was "fumbled" in a most peculiar manner and seemed too big for the players. The following boys turned out:

RELIABLE	POSITION	DEFENDER
J. Spencer	center	J. Lane
E. Holt	right	J. Leal
I. Cockett	left	S. Johnson
J. McGuire	right	C. Long, Capt
G. Rosa	left	D. Kupihea
T. Cummins	right	A. Lawrence
C. Holt	left	N. Armstrong
J. Thompson	quarter	T. Rawlins
Geo. Clarke	right	E. Hapai
J. Conrad	left	Kalaniana'ole
L. Singer, Capt.	fullback	W. Soper

Very Sad.

Mr. James D. Tregloan received the very sad news of the death of his wife by the Coptic. Mrs. Tregloan, recently married and in the prime of life, left Honolulu by the Albert in good health to visit her relatives in the States. She was taken ill on board the vessel, and in spite of all attention she was landed unconscious at San Francisco and died a few days later at the home of her sister. The community is extended a most deep-felt sympathy to Mr. James Tregloan during his terrible trial.

The Coptic.

The O. S. S. Coptic, Captain Lindsay, arrived on Wednesday evening from San Francisco. Among her passengers for this port were Consul-General Ellis Mills and wife, and Mrs. W. W. Dimond and child. The Coptic left for Yokohama yesterday afternoon, taking a large number of Japanese passengers from this port.

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